

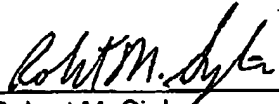
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REMARKS

In the Office Action of November 16, Examiner indicated that claim 2 would be allowable if amended to include all the limitations of its parent claim 1 and any intervening claims. Claim 2 has been so amended and is thus in condition for allowance. Claims 3-6 and 15, formerly dependent on claim 1, have been amended to be dependent on the amended claim 2. Thus, all the dependent claims should be in condition for allowance, since they are now all ultimately dependent on the allowable claim 2; and this application is believed to be in condition for allowance.

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